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SUBJ: LIBYAN INTENTIONS TOWARD KENYA

1. RWANDAN AMBASSADOR FRANCOIS NABUKUBANO APPROACHED ME SOMEWHAT URGENTLY LAST WEEK TO APPRISE ME OF WHAT HE HAD RECENTLY LEARNED ABOUT LIBYAN INTENTIONS TOWARD KENYA. ACCORDING TO AMB LIBYANS ARE ENGAGED IN FULL SCALE PLANNING TO OVERTURN PRESENT KENYAN GOVT IN FAVOR OF ONE MORE SYMPATHETIC TO LIBYAN AIMS. RWANDAN SAID HIS SOURCE WAS HIGH LEVEL OFFICIAL OF LAR FORMIN AND WHO STRONGLY DISAPPROVED OF PLAN. RWANDAN SAID THAT HE TOO DISAPPROVED AND WAS CONCERNED ABOUT LIBYAN ACTIVITIES IN SOUTHERN AFRICA. HE HOPED THAT THE GOK COULD BE PROPERLY WARNED.

2. RWANDA, BURUNDI, NIGERIA AND OTHER AFRICAN REPRESENTATIVES HAVE IN RECENT WEEKS EXPRESSED GROWING CONCERN ABOUT LIBYAN INTENTIONS IN SOUTHERN AFRICA WHICH THEY CONSIDER DANGEROUS TO THE STABILITY OF THE AREA AND TO THE REGIMES WHICH THEY REPRESENT.
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